

 South Farnham School <i>The Continual Pursuit of Excellence</i> Part of the South Farnham Educational Trust	Games Knowledge Organiser		
	Spring Term	Year 6	Strands covered: Rugby

What prior knowledge should students have?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To identify and occupy space to support the success of their team. Identify and play in different positions of the pitch. Pupils have performed skills to pass and receive with increased accuracy. Children have assessed their own performances to find improvements for future games.

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Evasion	Evasion is the ability to move around defenders while carrying the ball. It is a key skill in rugby, as it allows players to break tackles and make gains down the field. There are many different evasion techniques, such as sidestepping, stepping off the ball, and using a dummy.
Ball control	Ball control is the ability to handle the ball in a variety of situations. This includes being able to catch, pass, and kick the ball with accuracy. Ball control is essential for all rugby players, as it allows them to maintain possession of the ball and create scoring opportunities.
Space awareness	Space awareness is the ability to understand and use the space around you on the field. This includes being aware of where your teammates and opponents are, as well as the size of the field and the location of the goals.

What skills will students learn? (Disciplinary Knowledge)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children will be able to move with the ball with increased control and identify space to move into. To pass the ball in either direction on the move and with accuracy towards a target. To use a variety of defending tactics within a game situation to stop the opposition from scoring a try.
What key knowledge will be taught? (Substantive Knowledge)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To know how and when to apply a variety of tactics within a game situation to enhance the chances of scoring or stopping a try from being scored. To understand that working collaboratively within a team will give you the best opportunity of being successful. To be able to evaluate the performance of themselves and of their teammates with areas for improvement for future games.
Correct passing technique
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Hold the ball in two hands with your fingers spread across the seam, with your chest facing forward. Sight your target. Draw the ball back across one hip, keeping your elbows slightly bent, as you turn your chest away from the target. Sweep the ball off your hip as you swing your hands through an arc, keeping your elbows close to your body. Release the ball with a flick of the wrists and fingers. Follow through with your fingers pointing to the target - chest high in front of the receiver.